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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the
PATENT APPLICATION of:
Tony W. Mears et al

For: **INFLATING AIRCRAFT FLOTATION DEVICE**

Enclosed are:

- 1 Fee Calculation Sheet;
- 1 Express Mail Certificate;
- 1 Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- 1 Cover sheet;
- 18 Pages of specification;
- 9 Sheets of drawings; and
- 1 Postcard.

X **Applicant claims small entity status.**

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BASIC FEE			=	\$ 385
TOTAL CLAIMS	24 - 20 = 4	4	X 9 = \$ 36	\$ 36
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